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Admiral Sermonr.

Vice Admiral Sir Edward H. Seymour, K. C. B., of whom Admiral Dewey spoke so affectionately the other day, and who, it is said, has taken charge personally of the British naval brigade, reported to be forcing its way from Tien Tsin to Peking, is the commander-in-chief of the British squadron on the China station. He was appointed to the post December 12, 1897, when reports were rife that Russia intended to gradually absorb the Chinese empire.

Coatly Justice. Justice in the United States courts is expensive, as figured by the Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph. Only one case was disposed of by the jury before the recent circuit court in that city, and the verdict was for \$2,900. Meantime the cost to the government for jurors alone was \$1,325. This jury was sworn in four cases, and if kill four had been dtermined by the jury the cost for jurors would have been

Great Year for Donations. Roasiter Johnson has compiled a list of gifts and bequests to charity and education in the United States for

last year and total is nearly \$63,000,000. In 1898 it was \$38,000,000, and in 1897 it was \$45,000,00, making a grand total of more than \$145,000,000 in three years.

The Youngest Officer.

First Lieutenant Hugh A. Drum of the Twelfth infantry, now serving in Luzon, is said to be the youngest officer in the United States army. His father was killed by the side of his son on San Juan hill. The latter has been several times favorably mentioned in dispatches.

Barrie in Politics.

James M. Barrie, the novelist, in consenting to stand for parliament shows a decided change of opinion in such matters, since only five years ago he said that he would rather be flogged than have to go into politics.

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Corn-Growing.

(Condensed from Farmers' Review Sten-ographic Report of Wisconsin Round-up Institute.) Mr. A. A. Arnold spoke on corn

growing. Corn is king of all the grasses. The natural area for corn growing in the United States is limited. It may be that in the next generation the price of corn will be as high as is the price of wheat now. No plant can get a good start unless the seed has a good stock of vitality. Therefore we must have good seed corn. This is essentially the case in the northern part of Wisconsin, where the winters are early and cold. One of the best ways to get good seed corn is to take the best ears and break them in two to see that the kernels are long. After a plant has been acclimated it will do better than a plant that has not been acclimated. Corn must be dried through. I have noticed by picking the corn early, when it is just dented, it comes up better than any other kind of corn. If you do not get a start the first time of seeding you are not likely to get a good crop. I have never known a good crop when it was not from the first seeding.

preparation of the soil. Soil should be plowed from five to seven inches deep, depending on the compactness of the soil. The ideal place to plant corn is on a clover sod. Corn wants a warm soil and a warm atmosphere. Timothy sod should be plowed only in the fall. Spring plowing of timothy sod is very dangerous on account of the cut worms. All cultivation should be done before a seed is put into the ground. All that is done afterwards should be to keep down the weeds and conserve moisture. This is not cultivation

Nearly everything depends on the

properly so-called. Shallow cultivation is of great importance for the reason that it keeps the fertility in the soil. Nature's covering has been taken away, and in its place you must put on something to serve as

a mulch. The cheapest way to harvest corn is to put it in the silo. It can be done for 50 cents a ton.

Q.-Can you plow timothy early in the fall and not have trouble with cut worms?

Mr. Arnold.-Yes, sir; but you will lose fertility by early plowing. Mr. Briggs.-You can put in oats or

rye or turnips. Q .- Would you keep the meadows down till they are filled with cut worms?

Mr. Arnold.-No, sir. Q.-What effect on corn does deep

cultivation have? Mr. Arnold,-It will make the corn mature later. You can make it two weeks later by deep cultivation, cultivation say five or six inches deep. Q .- What do you call shallow culti-

vation? Mr. Arnold.-Two inches or above. Mr. McKerrow.-At the station they call shallow cultivation everything above three inches, and everything below that deep cultivation.

Thinning Stone Fruits.

Experiments in thinning apricots, plums and peaches have been in progress three seasons. With these fruits as with apples the effect of thinning is not always as pronounced the following year as had been expected. In some cases there appeared to be real permanent advantage and an increased yield in succeeding seasons, and again the effect, if any, on the crop of the following year, was in some cases obscured by causes not understood and no advantage from the previous year's thinning of the fruit could be seen. In some cases trees which were heavily loaded and not thinned gave even greater yields the following season than were obtained from corresponding trees on which the fruit had been

severely thinned. Early and severe thinning in general increased the percentage of the higher grades of fruit. Where the fruit grower can obtain correspondingly better prices for fancy fruit the thinning may doubtless be made profitable with selected varieties of peaches and apricots and in some cases with plums also. Chemical analyses of fruits which were picked at different stages were made in the chemical department which showed that the amount of potash in the fruit of one variety of peach increased 493 per cent from June 24 to July 21. The nitrogen increased 240 per cent and the phosphoric acid 327 per cent in the same period. The amount of potash in the fruit of a certain variety of plum increased in the same period 296 per cent, the nitrogen 222 per cent and the phosphoric acid 156 per cent. This indicates how rapidly the fruits take up plant food in the very early stages of their growth and emphasizes the importance of doing the thinning very early in the season.—New York Exper-

Perfumes of Flowers.

imental Station.

The perfumes of flowers are best obtained by distillation, but where high temperature changes the substance the usual process is enfluerage, or absorption with fats. Hitherto experiments with solvents have required costly apparatus. It is now claimed, however, that a new factory at Frejus, France, is able to use carbon disulphide, acetone or petroleum ether in a very simple apparatus, consisting of a tank for the solvent, one for the flowers, and a third for the solution, with a steam worm, condensing worm and pump. The steam heat gently distills off the solvent, leaving an extract 100 times as strong as the enfluerage pomade.

Cause of Black Snow. The little insects known as "glacier fleas" have been found to be the cause of the color of a recent singular fall of "black snow" at Molding, Austria. It is supposed that these insects were

THE REPORT OF A MAN OF EXPERIENCE.

What He Found in Western Canada to Induce Him to Settle There,

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Feb. 20th, 1900. To Whom it May Concern: - Especially to those who are desirous of obtaining health and wealth for themselves and families. I wish to state a few facts in regard to the Canadian North-west, where I went, leaving Sault Ste. Marie on May 2nd, 1899, for the purpose of seeking a better home for my family in the future. I got a special rate ticket for Ft, McLeod, Alberta. Through Manitoba and part of Assiniboia the farmers were busy employed ploughing and seeding. I found the farmers very kind and friendly, willing to talk and assist in giving me the particulars of the country. At McLeod I spent a few days

looking over some ranchers' stock, which I was surprised to see looking so well; they were in better condition than any stock I ever saw in Michigan, even those that had been stabled, and most of these had never seen the inside of a shedor received any feed from the hands of man. But as I was also looking for mixed farm land I found McLeod no place for me, it is only fit for ranching purposes. Retracing my way back to Winni-

peg, I stopped off at Lethbridge, where I found some of the greatest horse ranches I ever had the pleasure of looking at. It is a fine level country, and lots of water and good grazing. At Medicine Hat, which is located in a valley, there were lots of sheep, cattle and horses in the surrounding country and all looking well.

On July 14th I went to Regina, there I began to see mixed farming lands in abundance, and the crops looking remarkably well, and as long as daylight lasted I saw the same all along the line and on the 15th day of July I arrived in Winnipeg, just in time for the exhibition. There I met with one of the most beautiful pictures of the world's records, for as soon as I entered the grounds my eyes met with all kinds of machinery, all in motion, and the cattle, grain and produce of the country was far beyond my expectation, in fact it was beyond any industrial exhibition or agricultural fair I ever visited and I have seen a good

many. From Regina to Prince Albert, a distance of 250 miles, it is all good for mixed farming, and well settled, with some thriving little towns. In some places the grain, just coming into head, would take a man to the waist, and the wild fruit along the line was good, rich and in great quantities, from Saskatoon on the south branch of | are in search of a home, I remain the Saskatchewan river, to Prince Albert on the north branch of the same river, is one of the best farming dis-

water, and abundant hay land, and the climate is excellent.

Prince Albert is a flourishing little place, situated on the north Saskatchewan river, having a population of about 1,800, with good street and sidewalks and churches of nearly every denomination, three school houses, and another one to be built at once, also a brewery and a creamery. Here I stayed for about four months, working at my trade of bricklaying, and met with farmers and ranchers with whom I made it my special business to talk in regard to the prospects. I also visited several farmers for some distance out in the country while crops were in full bloom, and I may say that I never saw better crops in all my travels than I saw along the valley towards Stoney Creek and Carrot River. In the market garden there is grown currants, both red and black, and as fine a sample of roots and vegetables as ever went on a market. The soil in and around this district cannot be beaten for anything you may wish to grow, and besides the season is long, giving time for everything to mature. The cattle were looking as good as I saw anywhere, good pasture and hay land, and plenty of water wherever you go. The country is dotted all around like islands with timber fit for fuel and building purposes and within a day's walk of lumbering woods, where lumbering and tie making is carried on in winter. Both large and small game is plentiful. There are two good saw mills in this district, with a good supply of all grades of lumber all the year round and also two good brickyards with an excellent quality of brick. There is no scarcity of building material and at a reasonable price. Clothing and living are no higher than I find in Michigan, and furthermore I wish to say that there is a great demand for laboring men all the year round and good wages ranging from \$1.75 to \$2.00 per day, and from \$25.00 to \$35.00 per month with board.

I wish to say that I am perfectly satisfied with the country and I intend to return to Prince Albert early in the spring of 1900. Any reasonable man can go there and in from five to ten years make a good and comfortable home for himself and family, and if any person into whose hand this letter should fall, desires more information, please write to me and I will freely give them my best opinion. I am writing this for the benefit of those who may want to make a better home for themselves and families or friends.

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Your humble servant. WILLIAM PAYNE. The above letter was written to Mr.

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